

## Briefs From UP

### Bonnet Seeks UN Unanimity On Spain Deal

#### Franco Issue Slated For Hearing Today

New York, April 24.—French Ambassador Bonnet has spent most of the day trying to get unanimous UN Security Council approval of the proposed investigation of Franco Spain. Bonnet has been meeting separately with council representatives—trying to work out a plan agreeable to all—especially the Big Three. The issue is slated to come up at tomorrow's Council session.

### Sen. Taft Opposes British Loan Bill

Washington, April 24.—Republican Senator Taft, of Ohio, has denounced the proposed loan to Britain. Instead of lending Britain almost 4 billion dollars, Taft advocates an outright gift of one billion and one quarter dollars, all of it to be spent in the U.S.

### U. S. To Fall Short On Grain Shipments

Washington, April 24.—Secretary of Agriculture Anderson says the United States will fall about 250,000 tons short of its promised shipments of grain overseas this month. Anderson says he soon will visit the wheat belt to urge farmers to turn loose some of the millions of bushels of wheat in storage.

### Hearings Scheduled On Merger of Forces

Washington, April 24.—The Senate Naval Affairs Committee has decided to hold its own independent hearings on the bill to merge the armed forces into a single department of common defense. Congressional leaders say further hearings will mean no action can be taken on the bill during this session of Congress.

### Russian Planes Again Fire on U. S. Craft

Vienna, April 24.—American authorities in Austria charge that this time, four Soviet planes fired on another American C-47 transport over the Linz area. This latest incident took place Sunday—two days after a similar incident at Tulln airport. General Mark Clark has protested to the Russians against both attacks.

### Former Bund Leader Slated for Release

Frankfurt, Germany, April 24.—The former Fuehrer of the German-American Bund will be a free man in Germany tomorrow. American occupation headquarters announce that Fritz Kuhn will be released from prison near Heidelberg because he is no longer considered a threat to our security.

### Red Envoys Arrive At Big Four Meeting

Paris, April 24.—The Russian delegation to the Big Four conference of Foreign Ministers has arrived in Paris. The four plane-loads of Soviet representatives was headed by Foreign Minister Molotov and his Chief Aide, Andrei Vishinsky.

### UNRRA Granted More Grain for Famine

Washington, April 24.—The combined World Food Board has granted UNRRA an additional one hundred thousand tons of

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## Students and Faculty Petition Governor

### Student Welfare Board Seeks Special Session

Board Says Dorm Rooms Must Be Limited To Three Occupants for Health, Study

Acting to prevent a disastrous over-crowding in the University, the Student Welfare Board voted unanimously yesterday to petition the governor of North Carolina to call a special session of the General Assembly to consider appropriation of funds to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

The Board also vigorously turned down a proposal to place four students in each dormitory room. By a unanimous vote, the Board expressed an opinion that any increase in the present dormitory capacity would endanger the health, study, and social life of the Carolina students. Jimmy Wallace, president of the Inter-dormitory Council, pointed out the deplorable conditions existing in dormitories today, and said "we're packing in students like sardines." Dean C. P. Spruill said that he favored limited enrollment, and suggested that great harm can result from an overtaxing of our present facilities.

#### Action Needed Now

Douglass Hunt, speaker of the student legislature, said that the General Assembly of North Carolina was not fulfilling its obligation to the University, and that other institutions were growing while Carolina is missing its best opportunity to demand the things which we need for good education. Many members felt that the University must act now or never, and that Carolina must demand a just appropriation from the state.

Dr. Ernest Mackie, Dean of Students, was made chairman of a special executive committee which was instituted yesterday to deal with problems of the Board. Three students, and two members of the faculty, in addition to Dean Mackie will compose the executive committee.

Positively no solution was seen  
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### Smokey Brings Message About Fire Prevention To Readers Each Week

Today's edition of the Daily Tar Heel introduces "Smokey," a weekly cartoon featuring messages of fire prevention, and forest conservation.

"Smokey's" little reminders on forest conservation and protection are purposed to make picnickers and hikers cautious about cigarettes and small fires.

Readers will have opportunity to make suggestions for drawings and sayings for future "Smokey Says," by submitting their ideas to the local State or Federal Forester, or sending them to the U. S. Forest Service, Glenn Building, Atlanta 3, Georgia. Suggestions used will be credited to persons submitting the idea.

#### Alpha Gam Initiates

Eight girls were initiated into Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority Tuesday night. They are: Dot-tie Pless, Anne Hamlin, Fran Walker, Joselyn Landvoight, Rosemary Cleveland, Marge Heitman, Eleanor Craig, and Jane Hutson.

### Funeral Plans Not Completed For Dr. Beard

#### Family Awaiting Arrival of Son

Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed for John Grover Beard, late Dean of the School of Pharmacy, who died Tuesday afternoon at his home in Chapel Hill.

The 58-year old dean taught his regular classes and attended to his administrative duties as usual Tuesday until he was stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage at 3 p. m. He died two hours later.

Since becoming connected with the University 37 years ago Dean Beard has been closely identified with the activities of North Carolina druggists and in recent years he held many high positions in pharmaceutical circles.

In 1934 his colleagues in the faculty paid high tribute to Dr. Beard's 25 year record of service to the University. At exercises held in Howell Hall, the University School of Pharmacy presented a silver pitcher to him.

#### UNC Graduate

Dr. Beard was born in Kernersville, N. C., April 5, 1888, the son of James William and Susan Jane Phillips Beard. He was graduated from the University of North Carolina with a degree in pharmacy in 1909. The same year he served as an assistant instructor beginning full time duty in the fall of that year. In 1919 he was appointed to a full professorship and in 1931 he succeeded the late Vernon Howell as Dean of the School of Pharmacy.

#### President AACP

Dean Beard's special field was materia medica. He received an honorary degree from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy in 1930. In 1929 he was president of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy.

Survivors include his wife, the former Gladys Helen Angel of Nova Scotia, who he married in 1932; a son, Lieut. Comdr. J. G. Beard, Jr., now stationed in Oregon; a sister, Mrs. Phinn Horton, Winston-Salem; a brother, James Beard of Norfolk, Va., and a grandson, J. G. Beard, III.

### Tickets For Concert On Sale This Week

Tickets are now on sale for Norman Cordon's concert which is to be held May 27 in Memorial hall. Don Robinson, Phi Mu Alpha president, said that students should obtain tickets right away in order to receive first choice in seats.

Tickets may be bought at Ledbetter-Pickard or from Phi Mu Alpha members. Tickets for neighboring colleges and communities will be on sale next week.

Cordon is leading bass-baritone of the Metropolitan Opera Association. He is a noted alumnus of Carolina, being awarded the doctor of music degree at the recent sesquicentennial celebration.



DEAN JOHN G. BEARD

### Bill Newman Gives Recital Here Tonight

#### Program Features Four Piano Sonatas

Dr. William S. Newman of the music faculty, will give a lecture-recital on four piano sonatas tonight at 8:30 p. m. in Hill Music Hall.

Dr. Newman, who came to the University last winter, made his local debut with his performance of the solo piano part in Lambert's "The Rio Grande" given by the University Symphony Orchestra as a feature of the recent Sesquicentennial celebration. His program tonight will be similar to that he gave on a concert tour of Cleveland, Chicago, and the University of Illinois.

The program will feature the playing of the four sonatas with brief comments on their historical and musical significance. The first two sonatas are by Carl Phillip Emanuel and Johann Christian Bach. The third is by Felix Mendelssohn, and the fourth by a contemporary French musician, Darius Milhaud, well known polytonal composer now on the faculty of Mills College in California.

The sonata is the special field of Dr. Newman. He is said to be the owner of the largest private collection of sonatas in existence. His doctorate was awarded for a thesis on "The Present Trend of the Sonata Idea" and he is author of a forthcoming book, "History of the Sonata Idea" which is intended to fill a serious gap in music literature.

### Orientation Program Y Supper Forum Topic

The present advisor system for new students will be discussed tonight at the Y Supper Forum. Dr. W. D. Perry of the University Testing Bureau will lead the debate, with Dot Phillips and Bob Spiro giving the views of the students.

The program starts at 6 p. m. at the Methodist church, lasting until 7 p. m. Tickets are 35c and may be secured at the Y or at the door. The discussion promises to be lively and constructive.

#### Comer Improves

Mr. Harry Comer, secretary of the YMCA on campus, is now much improved from an illness which has kept him from the Y office since February.

### Phi Votes To Abridge Union Power

#### Students, Faculty Jam Hall for Session

An overflowing crowd of 150 students and faculty members jammed the historic Phi Hall Tuesday night when pro and anti-labor supporters traded blow for blow during a two and a half hour debate over the policies of labor unions.

Leaders of both sides confined their remarks to a substitute resolution introduced by Jo Farris stating that: the present policies of labor unions are detrimental to the nation and that the freedom of gangster unionism be abridged by legislation. The measure passed by a one vote margin, 19-18.

Audience interest became intense as Dick Koral assumed the rostrum. Koral's main argument was that the overwhelming majority of the American people are in favor of the right of labor to organize.

In reply to Koral, Elwood Mintz told the assemblage that strikes hit the whole country and affect the common man.

Winston Broadfoot, who aided Mr. Koral in the debate, admitted that faults did exist in unions. He maintained, however, that unions served a need of the laboring man. Broadfoot advocated more government control of both labor and management including a system of profit and risk sharing by both labor and capital.

#### Parties for Chi Omegas

The KA's will entertain the Chi Omega Sorority Sunday afternoon from 5 until 7 o'clock. The Monogram Club will have a party for the sorority at 8 o'clock Sunday night.

#### Pi Phi Wedding

Eleanor Carroll, Chapel Hill Pi Phi who graduated last quarter, will be married Saturday to Evol Holmgaard of Long Island.

### Local Thinkers Mob Phi Hall For Publicized Open Debate

The power of the press on Carolina's student body was aptly illustrated Tuesday night when an overflow crowd stormed the doors of Phi Hall on fourth floor of New East to hear the open debate between Dick Koral and constituents versus the tribe of erst-while conservatives led by Paul Mullinax and Elwood Mintz.

The headlines in Tuesday's Daily Tar Heel read "Koral Challenged to Debate at Open Phi Meeting Tonight" and the King of England couldn't have drawn a more vociferous and enthusiastic audience. All the bleachers, cracker barrels, and soap boxes the Phi had readied for the occasion were firmly occupied before the circus began and the SRO sign drove many others away.

Carolina's reputation as a liberal institution was stretched to the limit as seemingly every rad-



Dean of Students Ernest L. Mackie who presided over the meeting of the Student Welfare Board yesterday in which a decision was reached to send a petition directly to Governor Cherry calling for a special session of the state legislature to consider more funds for the

### SP To Elect PU Candidates

#### Goes on Record As Backing Constitution

The Student Party voted unanimously at their meeting in Gerrard Hall yesterday to hold nominating elections tonight for the editors of the campus publications.

All recommendations for campus offices were to be submitted to a committee of the party by last night at midnight for the election of the party's candidates for campus publications which will take place at its meeting tonight in the Phi Hall, fourth floor  
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